

FACT SHEET

Feather River Recreation and Park District:

- . was officially formed in 1952.
- . covers a geographic area of 735 sq. miles in southeastern Butte County.
- . is one of five similar districts in Butte County.
- . serves a population of 51,300 including 12,600 inside the City of Oroville.
- . derives approximately 75% of its revenue from property taxes with the remaining 25% from fees and charges.
- . has a gross operating budget this year of \$1,170,253, including capital outlay.
- . carries a full-time staff of 13 and a part-time staff averaging between 40 and 50 people, including lifeguards, sports officials, recreation leaders, and part-time maintenance personnel.
- . maintains and operates more than 100 acres of public parks and open space, including five neighborhood parks, two sports complexes and the Feather River Parkway.
- . maintains and operates the Municipal Auditorium, two public swimming pools, Nelson Recreation Center and the Forbestown Hall.
- . provides recreation programs and activities to all segments of the population, including youth and adult sports, leisure classes, afterschool programs, senior programs, and special events.

Feather River Recreation and Park District's future goals include development of the West Park / Riverbend Corridor and the Nelson Complex Soccer Addition.

The District plays an active role in the re-licensing process by participating on the JPA and in the Plenary Meetings and Working Groups.

The District has expressed the greatest interest in development of the downstream resources, including the Diversion Pool and the low flow section of the Feather River. However, as a division of local government encompassing the vast majority of the DWR Project Area, the District has an interest in working cohesively with all stakeholders in the betterment of the community and our recreational opportunities.